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Interview Summary

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Examiner

Marcus Menezes

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Marcus Menezes.

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(2) Steve Laurk.

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Date of Interview: 26 June 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: 6501430.

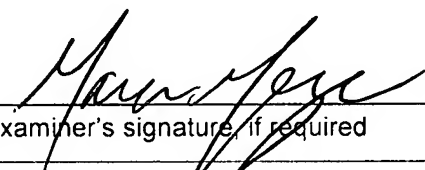
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See continuation sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Examiner's signature, if required

Applicant does not see that the prior art has two half shelves. Examiner disagrees.

Examiner suggested to Applicant that the placement of the transponder can be further described to overcome the prior art. More specifically, language that suggests enclosure, not "in between", of said transponder and the two half shelves may overcome the prior art.

Examiner further suggested Applicant focus on the similarity in size and radii of the two half shelves in order to differentiate the invention with the prior art, Esselink.